

Tsongas	Visclosky	Wilson (FL)
Van Hollen	Walz	Yarmuth
Veasey	Wasserman	
Vela	Schultz	
Velázquez	Waters	

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—10

Brooks (IN)	Dent	Meehan
Capuano	Deutch	Sánchez, Linda
Clarke (NY)	Gowdy	T.
Conaway	Issa	

NOT VOTING—31

Amodei	Gosar	Ruiz
Bachmann	Gutiérrez	Rush
Barber	Hensarling	Scott, David
Bass	Hinojosa	Smith (WA)
Becerra	Mulvaney	Vargas
Courtney	Noem	Wagner
Davis (CA)	Pastor (AZ)	Waxman
Davis, Danny	Peters (CA)	Welch
Delaney	Pingree (ME)	Whitfield
Dingell	Rangel	
Franks (AZ)	Ribble	

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So the motion to table was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mrs. NOEM. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall vote No. 133, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "aye."

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mrs. WAGNER. Mr. Speaker, on Thursday, March 13, 2014 I was unable to be in Washington, D.C. and vote on the legislative business of the day.

On Ordering the Previous Question for consideration of H. Res. 515, a resolution providing for consideration of both H.R. 3189, Water Rights Protection Act and H.R. 4015, SGR Repeal and Medicare Provider Payment Modernization Act of 2014, rollcall vote No. 125, had I been present I would have voted "yes."

On Adoption of H. Res. 515, a resolution providing for consideration of both H.R. 3189, Water Rights Protection Act and H.R. 4015, SGR Repeal and Medicare Provider Payment Modernization Act of 2014, rollcall vote No. 126, had I been present I would have voted "yes."

On Agreeing to the Ellison of Minnesota Amendment No. 1 to H.R. 3973, Faithful Execution of the Law Act of 2014, rollcall vote No. 127, had I been present I would have voted "no."

On the Motion to Recommit with Instructions H.R. 3973, Faithful Execution of the Law Act of 2014, rollcall vote No. 128, had I been present I would have voted "no."

On Passage of H.R. 3973, Faithful Execution of the Law Act of 2014, rollcall vote No. 129, had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

On Agreeing to the Polis of Colorado Substitute Amendment No. 3 to H.R. 3189, Water Rights Protection Act, rollcall vote No. 130, had I been present I would have voted "no."

On the Motion to Recommit with Instructions H.R. 3189, Water Rights Protection Act, rollcall vote No. 131, had I been present I would have voted "no."

On Passage of H.R. 3189, Water Rights Protection Act, rollcall vote No. 132, had I been present I would have voted "yes."

On the Motion to Table the Question of the Privileges of the House, rollcall vote No. 133, had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER TO THE BOARD OF VISITORS TO THE UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. BENTIVOLIO). The Chair announces the Speaker's appointment, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 6968(a), and the order of the House of January 3, 2013, of the following Member on the part of the House to the Board of Visitors to the United States Naval Academy:

Mr. THOMAS J. ROONEY, Florida

BOB MURRAY

(Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. RODNEY DAVIS of Illinois. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the life of a respected community leader and a great friend to so many in central Illinois.

On February 26, longtime broadcaster, weatherman, and radio host Bob Murray lost his battle to brain cancer at the age of 66.

Throughout his career, Bob took his work incredibly seriously. He used to be my weatherman. I would watch on TV while growing up, but in his later life, he was a radio broadcaster. He arrived at the radio station at 1:30 in the morning to prepare for the day because he felt an informed community was important—from community fundraisers, to what was happening with government, to the weather, and to the breaking local news.

I had the privilege of being interviewed by Bob dozens of times over the last 18 months, and I can tell you without a doubt that he was one of the most honest, respectful, and professional members of the media I have ever met.

Bob's family is honoring his life by having memorials made to the Illinois News Broadcasters Association Foundation for a scholarship to be awarded in his name. I can't think of a better way to ensure that he is remembered for years to come.

So thank you, Bob Murray, for the years of service you provided to the families in central Illinois.

Thank you to Bob's family for sharing him with us for more than 40 years and for allowing him to become a part of our family.

DON'T CUT OUR MILITARY

(Mr. POE of Texas asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. POE of Texas. Mr. Speaker, last night, I held a telephone town hall and called almost 60,000 homes back in Texas. I heard from southeast Texans about a lot of things that were on their minds, but the number one concern I heard about was cuts to the military.

Mr. Speaker, one citizen said to me: We, the United States, were not pre-

pared militarily for World War II. Why are we doing the same thing now? We need to be increasing, not decreasing, our military capabilities.

I even took a poll and asked those who were listening in on the call: Do you think we should reduce our military? An overwhelming 85 percent of the people on the call said: No.

Mr. Speaker, our men and women in the military should be the last thing we cut from the Federal budget. The world is getting more and more dangerous as time goes on. We should not lose sight of the enemies we face. Both countries and terrorists who wish to do us harm still exist. Our military is the best in the world—and we must make sure it stays that way.

And that's just the way it is.

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CHILDREN'S BUDGET

(Ms. JACKSON LEE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. JACKSON LEE. Mr. Speaker, this happens to be Women's History Month. I will continue to salute the dynamic women of this Nation.

I rise today as a founder and cochair of the Congressional Children's Caucus and indicate to my colleagues that I believe we are overdue for naming children as our number one priority. Working with First Focus, I intend to introduce a children's budget for the needs of our children. We have left children behind. Many times, the issues around children are discussed in a partisan way. Who wants early childhood education? Who wants universal pre-K or around-the-clock child care?

In actuality, the consumers and beneficiaries of funding for those very important issues are our children. We should give them the security, protection, and resources to prevent child abuse and for bringing families together and providing intervention for families that are troubled that result in not only child abuse, but violence against these children.

What about the best education they can have? What about the best health care they can have?

Mr. Speaker, children are our number one priority. I truly believe that a children's budget in the United States of America is long overdue.

Join me on the children's budget.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. Curtis, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has passed without amendment a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 3370. An act to delay the implementation of certain provisions of the Biggert-Waters Flood Insurance Reform Act of 2012, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles in which the concurrence of the House is requested: